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METHOD THEREOF

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## REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated June 21, 2005, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-20 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group I, claims 1-12, drawn to a test structure; and

Group II, claims 13-20, drawn to method of testing.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 1-12.

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